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May 29, 1867.—1y

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The Star and Sentinel, Gettysburg, Pa.

The Star & Sentinel.

Wednesday, February 12, 1868.

Sir, when the American people entered upon the opening scenes of rebellion, human sagacity neither in dream or in vision could look onward to its vast results. In the earlier stages of the war the people of the North would gladly have had peace on any terms that were not absolutely disgraceful. They would have allowed the bondman to have remained in chains and slavery—a living and perpetual libel on republican liberty. But God would not suffer it. And out of this sea of revolution there issued not only a Republic triumphant over prostrate rebellion, but the genius of Liberty, clasping hands with Humanity over four millions of an emancipated race. And even since the close of the war, the Democratic State Convention, assembled in this capitol, has justified and affirmed the wisdom of universal abolition and emancipation. Sir, the world does move.

The law declares murder unlawful and a high crime; but when a man commits murder we recognize the fact that he has done so, and inflict upon him the punishment of his crime. And so, sir, in the maintenance of this great Government which is the shield and defense of thirty millions of people. Those men or States which will destroy the peace, the prosperity, the life of the country by war, commit murder by the hundred thousand of victims. These rebels have committed a crime as infinitely greater than a common murder, as many times greater, as their hundred thousand of victims are more numerous than the single individual who falls before the one murderer. And yet we are told for such murders and crimes, the sum of all villainies, THERE IS NO PUNISHMENT. That the Government dare not so much as lay its little finger upon the guilty men of the South.

And now, Mr. Speaker, I will give the Senator from Philadelphia the views which I believe the Republican party entertain on this subject. When the war commenced, there existed in the South eleven State Governments, each of which constituted an integral part of this Union.

Now, sir, these States undertook to destroy the Federal Government for the purpose, as asserted by Mr. Davis and announced in their own official declaration, of erecting an independent government. The war was commenced and went on for four years. By their own voluntary action they utterly destroyed the noble fabrics of government their fathers built, both timber and log, and rafter and beam, cornerstone and topstone, from foundation to pinnacle; and all their State structures, thus cast in ruins, were useless for the purposes of government. They assumed to do this in the same language of independence which was used by our ancestors when they established the great and glorious frame of government under which we still live. They built up new State governments upon the ruins of the old. They provided them with new officers, created under their new constitutions and laws. They were recognized as belligerents by ourselves and by the nations of the world. The armies of the Republic were multiplied, as were the armies of the rebels; and it became a question, staked upon the wager of battle, which should prevail. But the armies of the Government triumphed, and the rebels lay prostrate at their feet. We know, the world knows, that they were ready to receive such terms as we chose to dictate. The State governments which they had built were torn down, from topstone to foundation, and destroyed in the general wreck of the rebellion, and no governments remained. The lands and the people were there. They were then, and are now, in the condition of territories, waiting for the erection of governments. Did the Constitution give Congress power to govern those States as territories? Mr. Stevens asserts that it did. They were outside of the Constitution as States; but they were, both as territories and as people, within the power and control of the Government, through Congress, in the legitimate exercise of its constitutional powers.

Andrew Johnson undertook to organize governments within the rebellious States, but in so doing he was guilty of usurpation. He is but the Executive office to administer the laws, and not the autocrat of the nation. Congress has at length come up to a full comprehension of its prerogative. The people sustain it in the work of reconstruction.—Their representatives have but to go forward in the unfaltering execution of the powers vested in them, until loyal governments shall be organized in all the lately rebellious States, taking care to guarantee and secure to each a republican form of government, in which universal liberty and equality before the law shall be the corner-stones. The loyal hands that crushed out the rebellion will sustain their faithful public servants; and the present decade of this century will behold upon this continent a true democratic republic, peaceful, prosperous and powerful at home and abroad; its patriotism strengthened by the ordeal of war, and its flag honored and feared by all the nations of the earth.

GENERAL NEWS.

A London despatch states that Minister Adams will return to the United States in April next.

ANDREW JOHNSON, in endeavoring to use GRANT as a cats-paw, only got his head into a lion's mouth.

THE President has nominated Charles H. Tuckerman, of New York, as Minister to Greece.

IT is rumored in Washington that Mr. Buchanan's ex-Attorney General, Jeremiah Black, will be appointed Minister to England.

IT is rumored that the President has recalled General Rosseau, and will substitute him for General Meade, in command of the Fourth Military District.

IN Lancaster county the rate of taxation for the current year is two and a half mills on the dollar; in York county it is seven mills; in Berks county nearly ten.

THE New York *World*, in a very sharp and bitter editorial, reads Valandigham out of the Democratic party, in which it says he has been tolerated too long already.

SIR Edward Thornton, the successor of Sir Frederick Bruce, was last week presented to President Johnson by Secretary Seward as Minister from Great Britain.

THE Senate Committee on Territories have agreed to report favorably the bill for the admission of Colorado as a State. The President rejected a similar measure last session.

THE Lunatic Asylum attached to the Almshouse of Livingston county, at Genessee, New York, was destroyed by fire on Thursday morning. Four insane women were burnt to death.

THE Congressional Re-construction committee have agreed to report a bill removing political disabilities from Governor Holden of North Carolina, Governor Orr, of South Carolina, and General Longstreet.

THE Senate Committee on Territories have agreed to favorably report the bill for the admission of Colorado into the Union, which, it will be remembered, was passed and vetoed by the President last winter.

THE Deficiency bill, containing an appropriation of a half a million dollars for reconstruction purposes, is now in the hands of the President waiting his disposal. The constitutional ten days for its consideration expires to-day.

EVERY member of Lee's army will vote the Copperhead ticket if he has a chance. The heroes of the Fort Pillow massacre will vote the same ticket twice a piece all round. If they cannot get Lee for President and Forrest for Vice President, they compromise on Pendleton and Hoffman.

THE statement of the public debt of the United States on the first of February shows the total debt to be on that date $2,651,384,-686.50. The statement shows, by comparison with that of December, that the public debt, less cash in the Treasury, has increased $19,-189,723.09, in the past month.

FOREIGN.—Despatches by the Atlantic telegraph assert that Napoleon has suddenly modified his position on the Roman question, and indicates a disposition to abandon his championship of the Pope. It is also said that he has required the Queen of Spain to abandon her intention of recruiting a Papal Legion for the Pope. Count Bismarck has obtained leave of absence, and will devote several months to European travel, his health requiring relaxation. A mob at Cork on Friday attempted to release a Fenian prisoner from the hands of the police. A desperate fight ensued, but the police succeeded in lodging the the prisoner in jail.

Advertisers and others interested will bear in mind that the regular circulation of the "STAR AND SENTINEL" is much larger than that of any other paper published in the County, being read weekly by not less than 10,000 persons.

☞ Advertisements, to secure immediate attention, must be handed in on or before Tuesday morning.

THE New York State Convention, called to send delegates to the Republican National Convention, and nominate an Electoral Ticket, last week unanimously declared for GRANT for President, and Gov. FENTON for Vice President, and appointed a full delegation to Chicago in accordance with said declaration.—HORACE GREELY, of the *Tribune*, was a delegate to the Convention and a member of the Committee which reported the resolutions. This action of the New York Convention fixes the nomination of Gen. GRANT beyond all question—of which there has been little or no doubt for some months. The loyal masses turn to the great soldier who conquered the Rebellion, in full confidence that he will secure for the country as decisive a victory over Rebels and Rebel sympathizers in 1868, as he did in 1865.

PEOPLE are surprised that hard times are upon us; but it is most natural that the Administration should try to produce that result, so as to embarrass the Republicans who are held responsible for legislation. Congress unwisely, but trustfully, gave the Administration large discretionary power—*all which has been used to cripple business by tightening the money market.* It has contracted the currency largely, has hoarded large amounts of gold, and connived at the systematic refusal to collect the Whiskey Tax. If it has not connived at this, how happens it that the men guilty of this villanous breach of faith are its officers, and within reach of its power?

The country need not expect prosperity till every vestige of corrupt Copperheadism is driven from the administration of public affairs.

SWANN's men in Maryland are sore and mad, and threaten to bolt. The distinctive Rebel element of the party say they don't care, as they can carry Maryland without them.

The Rebel organ claims, what is no doubt true, that a large majority of the voting class of Maryland "*were heartily opposed to the armed coercion of the South from the inception of the war down to this day.*" This is what makes a majority of this same class Copperheads *now*. They were Rebels *then*, of whom some were sneaking "sympathizers," and others were open enemies of the Union.

The Mobile *Tribune*, a Copperhead paper, comments on STANTON's re-instatement, by declaring the country to be in a "state of revolution," and it adds:

"Whatever happens, *so that it breaks up the Government*, the soldiers of Lee and Johnston will not be very much distressed."

This is a characteristic specimen of the sense in which the Southern Rebels have "accepted the situation," and returned to their allegiance. With such men uppermost, the South would be intolerable to every man with an American heart in his bosom.

WE recently showed the extent of the Whiskey frauds over the country, by JOHNSON's office-holders. In New Orleans alone, the frauds from May to November, 1867, are said to have amounted to over *four and a half millions of dollars!*

Yet JOHNSON has recently nominated WISEWELL, of New York, said to be chief of the Whiskey ring, as Commissioner of Internal Revenue—trying to remove Mr. ROLLINS who has done everything in his power to break up this ring, and would, probably, have succeeded, if JOHNSON had not protected them and thwarted him.

COPPERHEADS bray about "Radical policy placing the South under negro domination." Lt. Gov. BROWN of Georgia, in a recent speech, says it is the perverse obstinacy of the white race refusing to take control that gave the negroes any power in the Georgia Convention.

We personally know this to be the fact. Large numbers of whites who were registered, deliberately refused to vote. Now, let them, like men, stand up and take the results of their stubbornness and stupidity.

The Newark (N. J.) *Evening Journal*, an extreme Copperhead paper, is out for JOHNSON's nomination for the Presidency. The New York *Day Book* scouts HANCOCK as the "hangman of Mrs. Surratt," who deserves hanging for it! The Ohio Cops. are for PENDLETON, as is the Pittsburgh *Post*. The Hoosier Cops. are understood to be for Senator HENDRICKS; and the New Yorkers are begging HORATIO SEYMOUR to withdraw his declination. None of them can come in.

THE HOUSE (Congress) has passed a bill providing for the taxation, by State Legislatures, of the Shares of Stock in National Banks, the rate of tax not to be greater than is assessed upon other moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens of such States. There is little doubt of the SENATE's concurrence.

A KNOT of New York Copperheads are organizing to make Com. VANDERBILT of New York, their candidate for President! The Cops. are evidently "hard up," and their troubles are just beginning. GRANT will sweep the Nation from one end to the other.

HANCOCK writes a private letter, dated January 5, 1868, to state that he is determined "to carry out the laws," and says that if new laws are required it is for Congress to make them. He is improving.

ROBERT M. PATTON of Alabama, now Governor, has done much for Reconstruction; and the U. S. Senate has passed a bill to relieve him of his disabilities, and restore to him the right to vote.—The Cops. opposed the bill.

SECESSION papers in the South are howling fearfully over the prostration of the "Cotton" interest, which they say has been ruined by the War. But they forget that they made the War, and are responsible for all the consequences.

THERE are indications of an early adjournment of the Legislature. Congress will hardly adjourn before July.

THE SUPREME COURT AND RECONSTRUCTION.

The Copperheads have been again foiled in their attempt to get from the Supreme Court on opinion adverse to the constitutionality of the Reconstruction laws. On Monday the Court, through Justice Nelson, made an elaborate decision in the Georgia case adverse to the bill, and dismissing it for the want of jurisdiction, and at at its close stated the same principles applied to the McArdle case. The Court decided that the question involved and the right sought to be protected were exclusively political in their character, relating to sovereignty and government, and not to rights of persons or property, and that the Court had no jurisdiction, therefore, of the subject-matter of the bill. They cite the cases of the State of Rhode Island *vs.* State of Massachussetts, of the Cherokee Nation *vs.* State of Georgia, and other cases to show that the Court has no jurisdiction to decide a political question. It will be remembered that last year the Georgia case was brought before the court in the shape of a bill praying for an injunction to restrain Andrew Johnson, Edwin M. Stanton, U. S. Grant, Gen. Ord, and Gen. Pope from executing the Reconstruction laws in the States of Mississippi and Georgia.

BUT a few months since Copperhead journals labored hard to make it appear that Gen. GRANT was with the President and against Congress on the Reconstruction question. Now that these stories have been exploded, and GRANT'S nomination as the Republican candidate for President has become certain, the entire Rebel press North and South have opened their batteries upon the great soldier, denouncing him in unmeasured terms. The last and meanest charge is the insinuation that he *drinks* and has been *drunk* on the streets of Washington. This is not the first time the country has heard of these miserable slanders. GRANT, according to these veracious gentlemen, was *drunk* at Donelson—*drunk* at Vicksburg—*drunk* in the Wilderness—*drunk* in front of Richmond—*drunk* at Appomattox Courthouse. Notwithstanding all which he managed to knock the Rebel Confederacy to pieces, and force LEE and the Rebel armies into unconditional surrender. The truth is, the Copperhead element of the country will never forgive GRANT for having so thoroughly and completely whipped their Rebel friends, and hence pursue him vindictively and malignantly. No matter. GRANT served up a Waterloo defeat for Southern Rebels in 1865, and therein squelched Treason in the field. He will finish up the job next November by squelching Treason in the Cabinet, in serving up an equally decisive Waterloo for Northern Copperheads.

"OLD DOCUMENTS ARE UGLY THINGS." GARRETT DAVIS of Kentucky realized this the other day in the U. S. Senate, when Senator MORRILL of Maine recalled a series of resolutions offered in the Senate by DAVIS, on the 13th of February, 1862, in which he asserted this doctrine:

"If the people of any State cannot, or will not, reconstruct their State government and return to loyalty and duty, Congress should provide a government for such State *as a territory of the United States*, securing to the people thereof their appropriate Constitutional rights."

This assertion of what is known as the "territorial theory," sounds singular to a Kentucky Senator who now denounces Congressional exercise of a less power as monstrous usurpation. DAVIS, at that time, was a Unionist. Now, he is a rebel sympathizer. His principles, it will be seen, change with his political relations.

THE Grant and Johnson correspondence shows an apparent determination on the part of the latter to disregard the provisions of the Tenure of Office law—his complaint against GRANT being that GRANT obeyed the law and vacated the office when the Senate took action in the case, instead of holding the office, violating the law, and compelling STANTON to seek the intervention of the Courts.

We are glad to know that this conduct of the President is under consideration by the proper Committee. If it should be considered to justify the President's impeachment, appropriate action to that end will be taken, but probably not till after the passage of a pending bill providing the mode of procedure in such cases. JOHNSON may come to grief before Congress rises.

IT is charged that Justice FIELD of the U. S. Supreme Court has publicly committed himself on pending cases in his Court in advance of the hearing; and an investigation of the charge is now in progress.

We gave two weeks ago an opinion of Judge FIELD, not anticipating that its soundness would be so soon vindicated. His antecedents in California, of which we have recently heard more particulars, confirm our impressions of his inherent unfitness; and we join the Chicago *Post* in expressing the hope that Congress will feel justified in stripping the robe of office from the shoulders of one so utterly unqualified—by temper, mental habit and preparatory education, for his exalted position.

IN 1847, when General TAYLOR, after the Mexican War, became prominent as the possible Whig candidate for the Presidency the next year, the Administration of JAMES K. POLK, his Cabinet Ministers and hangers-on generally, undertook to entrap and "write down" the Hero of Buena Vista. The people resented the attempted injustice, and made him President by an overwhelming vote.

The incident is under repetition now—the characters only being changed. Instead of TAYLOR, GRANT is the target of official insolence; and instead of POLK and his pups, JOHNSON and his pimps are the assailants.

A VERY important report has recently been made in Congress showing that President JOHNSON *ordered the return to Southern railroad companies of property valued at* SEVENTY-EIGHT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, captured by the military forces of the United States! On these roads the Government spent $45,000,000 during the War; so that JOHNSON's Southern railroad friends have "made a good thing" out of him. Congress proposes to over haul the transaction, and give these companies—justice.

VALLANDIGHAM admits that the recent election in Ohio indicates a Republican majority next fall of from thirteen to twenty thousand. The Cincinnati *Gazette* says it won't compromise on less than forty thousand.

GEN. GRANT AND THE PRESIDENT.

Sharp Correspondence.

Last week, the correspondence between Gen. GRANT and President JOHNSON in reference to the Secretary of War, which had been called for by resolution of Congress, was sent in by Secretary Stanton and read. It is a lengthy and important correspondence, covering six letters, and produced much excitement, developing as it did a determination of the President to violate the Civil Tenure Act and ignore Congress, with a persistent effort to entrap Gen. GRANT into being a party to his infamous purposes—or rather, an effort to have Gen. GRANT assume the responsibility of doing what the President personally shrank from doing. We are unable to give the correspondence entire, and present only the salient points. The correspondence originated by Gen. GRANT receiving a *verbal* order from the President to disregard the orders of Mr. STANTON as Secretary of War. Warned by the persistent misrepresentations of the President and friends as to GRANT's connection with the re-instatement of STANTON, the Gen. in a note dated Jan. 24, requested the President to reduce this verbal order to writing and furnish him with a copy thereof. Receiving no answer, on the 28th, four days thereafter, Gen. GRANT again wrote to the President, renewing the request that the order be given in writing, and explains—

I am compelled to ask these instructions in writing in consequence of the many gross misrepresentations, affecting my personal honor, circulated through the press the past fortnight, purporting to come from the President, of conversations which occurred with the President privately, in his office or in cabinet meeting. What is written admits of no misunderstanding.

Gen. GRANT goes on in this letter to refute the assertion made by JOHNSON and telegraphed over the country that in vacating the War office to give place to Secretary STANTON he acted in bad faith, and had violated his promise to the President not to yield the office to STANTON until compelled to do so by the Courts.—Gen. GRANT affirms that so far from agreeing or promising to become a party to the President's purpose to ignore the laws of the country, he distinctly notified the President that he would not do so.—On this point Gen. GRANT says:

"Learning on Saturday, the 11th inst., that the Senate had taken up the subject of Mr. Stanton's suspension, after conversation with Lieut.-General Sherman, and several members of my staff, in which I stated that the law left me no discretion as to my action should Mr. Stanton be reinstated, and that I intended to so inform the President, I went to the President for the sole purpose of making this decision known, and so make it known. In doing this, I fulfilled the promise made in our last preceding conversation on the subject."

Next day, Jan. 29th, the President returned Gen. GRANT's letter of the 24th, with the following endorsement:

"As requested in this communication, Gen. Grant is instructed in writing not to obey any order from the War Department assumed to be issued by direction of the President, unless such order is known by the General Commanding the Armies of the United States to have been authorized by the Executive.

ANDREW JOHNSON.

It will be observed that the President, while shrinking from the responsibility of removing Secretary STANTON, or officially ignoring him by public proclamation, very cunningly seeks, in this endorsement, still to entrap Gen. GRANT by asking him to determine when and when not the orders of the War Department are to be obeyed. The General, however, wouldn't take, and on the same day again wrote to the President as follows:

HEADQUARTERS ARMY UNITED STATES, WASHINGTON, Jan. 29th, 1868.

His Excellency Andrew Johnson, President of the United States.

SIR:—I have the honor to acknowledge the return of my note of the 24th inst., with your endorsement thereon that I am not to obey any order from the War Department assumed to be issued by direction of the President, unless such order is known to me to have been authorized by the Executive; and in reply thereto say that I am informed by the Secretary of War that he has not received from the Executive any order or instructions limiting or impairing his authority to issue orders to the army, as has heretofore been his practice under the law, without the intervention of the department. While this authority to the War Department is not countermanded, it will be satisfactory evicence to me that any orders issued from the War Deparment by direction of the President are authorized by the Executive.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

U. S. GRANT, General.

This manly note seems to have roused the ire of the President, who two days later (Jan. 31st) sends a long letter to Gen. GRANT, in which he repeats the charge that GRANT promised not to give up the War office to Secretary STANTON, and claims to be able to substantiate his allegations by admissions of Gen. GRANT made in presence of members of the Cabinet. To this letter Gen. GRANT, under date of Feb. 3, returns a caustic reply, which we give in full:

HEADQRS ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES, WASHINGTON, D. C., February 3, 1868.

To His Excellency, Andrew Johnson, President of the United States:

SIR—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 31st ult., in answer to mine of the 28th ult. After a careful reading and comparison of it with the article in the *National Intelligencer* of the 15th ult., and with the article over the initials "J. B. S.," in the New York *World* of the 27th ult., purporting to be based upon your statement and that of the members of the Cabinet therein named, I find it to be but a reiteration, only somewhat more in detail, of the many and gross misrepresentations contained in those articles, and which my statement of facts, set forth in my letter of the 24th ult., was intended to correct; and herein it is respectfully submitted the correctness of my statements in that letter, anything in yours to the contrary notwithstanding.

I confess my suprise that the Cabinet officers referred to should so greatly misapprehend the facts in the matter of admissions alleged to have been made by me at the Cabinet meeting on the 14th inst., as to suffer their names to be made the basis of the charges in the newspaper article referred to, or the accuracy, as you affirm they do, of your account of what occurred at that meeting.—You know we parted on the 11th ult., without any promise on my part, expressed or implied, to the effect that I would hold on to the office of Secretary of War *ad interim* against the action of the Senate, or declining to do so, would surrender it to you before such action was had, or that I would see you again at any fixed time on the subject. The performance of the promises alleged to have been made by me would have involved a resistance of the law and an inconsistency with the whole history of my connection with the suspension of Mr. Stanton. From our conversation and my written protest of August 1st, 1867, against the removal of Mr. Stanton, you must have known my greatest objection to his removal was the fear that some one would be appointed in his stead who would, by opposition to the laws relating to the restoration of the Southern States to their proper relations to the Government, embarrass the army in the performance of the duties specially imposed upon it by the laws, and that it was to prevent such an appointment that I accepted the appointment of Secretary of War *ad interim*, and not for the purpose of enabling you to get rid of Mr. Stanton by withholding it from him in opposition to the law, or, not doing so myself, surrender to one who, as the statement and assumptions in your communication plainly indicate, was sought, and it was to avoid this danger as well as to relieve you from the personal embarrassment in which Mr. Stanton's reinstatement would place you, that I urged the appointment of Governor Cox, believing it would be agreeable to you and also to Mr. Stanton, satisfied as I was that it was the good of the country and not the office the latter desired.

On the 13th ult., in the presence of General Sherman, I stated to you I thought Mr. Stanton would resign, but did not say I would advise him to do so. On the 18th, I did agree with General Sherman to go and advise him to that course, and on the 19th I had an interview at one o'clock with Mr. Stanton, which led me to the conclusion that any advice would be useless, and so informed General Sherman. Before I consented to advise Mr. Stanton to resign, I understood from him in conversation on the subject immediately on his reinstatement, that it was his opinion that the act of Congress entitled "an act temporarily to supply vacancies in the Executive Department in certain cases," approved February 20th, 1863, was repealed by subsequent legislation, which materially influenced my action. Previous to this time I had no doubt that the law of 1863 was still in force, and notwithstanding my action, a fuller examination of the laws leaves a question in my mind whether it is or is not repealed. This being the case, I could not now advise resignation lest the same danger I apprehended in this first removal might follow.

The course you would have it understood I agreed to pursue was in violation of law, and of orders by you, while the course I did pursue, and which I never doubted you fully understood, was in accordance with law, and not in disobedience to any orders of my superior. And now, Mr. President, when my honor as a soldier and integrity as a man has been so violently assailed, pardon me for saying that I can but regard this whole matter, from beginning to end, as an attempt to involve me in the resistance of the law, by which you hesitated to assume the responsibility, in order thus to destroy my character before the country. I am, in a measure, confirmed in this conclusion, by your recent ordering me to disobey orders from the Secretary of War, my superior, and your subordinate, without having countermanded the authority I am to disobey. With the assurance, Mr. President, that nothing less than a vindication of my personal honor and character could have induced this correspondence on my part, I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

U. S. GRANT, General.

This letter, which virtually gives the *lie* to the President and arraigns him as a party to the attempt to "destroy his character before the country," closes the correspondence, as far as published. It is given out by the President's friends, however, that he has prepared a bitter reply to Gen. GRANT's letter, re-asserting his version as to the War Department difficulty, and sharply rebuking the General for alleged insubordination and insolence, and abusive of Congress. This rejoinder was to have been given to the public last week, but the latest despatches from Washington say that there is a "hitch" in the programme, several members of the Cabinet, on whom the President relied to endorse his version of what transpired in the Cabinet meetings referred to by Gen. GRANT, being reported as declining to "toe the mark." It is further said that some of the President's friends, alarmed by the action taken by the Reconstruction Committee, looking to impeachment, have advised the withholding of the rejoinder.

Upon the reading of the correspondence in the House, it was referred to the Reconstruction Committee, who have been taking testimony, to develop the President's attempt to obstruct the laws as shown in the correspondence. Gen. GRANT and others will be examined, the former of whom, it is said, is in possession of important information as to the President's purposes not hitherto made public. It is further reported that Judge BINGHAM, who resisted Impeachment when last before the House, is now in favor of decisive action.

Later advices from Washington represent that the President had mustered up courage enough to send his reply to Gen. GRANT, and it will probably be made public to-day.

JUDGE BLACK would like to be President. We would like to see him a candidate.

NEWS OF NEIGHBORING COUNTIES.

CUMBERLAND.—The 1st National Bank of Carlisle has elected the following officers: President, Hon. Samuel Hepburn; Cashier, Charles Hepburn Esq; Tellers, Messrs. John G. Orr, and Levi Brenneman.—The dwelling of George Worner, Dickinson township, was destroyed by fire, with furniture, clothing, &c. on the 24th ult.

BALTIMORE.—Last week a boy in the employ of Christian Hartzler, residing near Sweet Air, had occasion to shoot at a steer. The wife of Mr. Hartzler was in range of the gun, being unobserved by the boy.—The bullet passed entirely through the body of Mrs. H., having entered the groin and coming out at the small of the back. Mrs. H. is not expected to survive.

FRANKLIN.—On the morning of the 27th ult., an aged woman, named Dolly Myers, was found dead in her bed, at the residence of Mr. Samuel Leidig, near Orrstown. She had retired in unusually good spirits, and seemed entirely well.—One evening last week, while a daughter of John Shuman, of Chambersburg, was filling a burning lamp, the oil ignited, burning one of her hands badly and setting fire to the carpets and furniture; Mr. Shuman being present extinguished the flames.

FREDERICK.—Governor Swann has appointed Friday, the 21st instant, for the execution of the negro Jones, convicted in Frederick County Court for rape.—Five shares of 1st National Bank Stock of Frederick were sold last week at $151.21 per share, 15 shares do., at $150.00, 10 shares of Farmer's and Mechanics' National, at $145.75, 10 shares do., at $145.00, 6 shares do., at $145.65.

THE latest returns from Alabama leave the result of the State election doubtful, with a probability that the Constitution has been defeated for want of a majority of the registered vote being polled. A heavy storm of rain, making the roads impassable, prevented thousands from getting to the polls, while many freedmen were deterred from voting at all by the terrorism and threats of disloyal whites.

"Throw physic to the dogs; I'll none of it.
To make assurance doubly sure
I'll take"—PLANTATION BITTERS.
They never fail.

This great Stomach Healer is just what the people need. It is a remedy they can rely on. For Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Headache, Dizziness, Ague, Liver Complaints, Pains in the Side and Back, it has no equal; not the least among its virtues is its extreme pleasantness to the taste and *immediate* beneficial effect. Try it, suffering Dyspeptics, and be cured. Such are the assertions of those situated to know. From the vast amount of this article sold, it must have great merit.

Magnolia Water is a delightful toilet article—superior to Cologne and at half the cost. Feb. 12-2t

NO WONDER so many worthless medicines are advertised for the cure of various diseases, and when tried, "found wanting," that the invalid loses all faith in specifics. We have yet to learn, however, of the first failure of *Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry*, to cure coughs, colds, and pulmonary diseases. It

☞ "Barrett's Vegetable Hair Restorative" took the First Premium over all competitors at the New Hampshire State Fair. It stands confessedly without a rival through out the country, and is driving all other preparations from the market.—*Philadelphia Public Ledger.* It

Personal Property Sales.

PUBLIC SALE
OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The subscriber, intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, *on Friday, the 6th day of March next*, at his residence in Mansfield township, Adams county, one mile west of Bendersville, on the Arendtsville road, the following Personal Property, viz:

1 BROOD MARE, with foal by a Jack, 2 young Horses, one an excellent Harness Horse, 4 good Milch Cows, which will be fresh or nearly so by the time of sale, 1 Tennessee Bull, 2 Calves, 11 Sheep, 1 Brood Sow with Pigs, and horse, and the other a one horse Spring Wagon, 2 new Saylor Plows, 2 Harrows, 1 Double Shovel Plow, Grain Drill, Horse Rake, Winnowing Mill, double and single Trees, Forks, Grindstone, Carriage Spread and double Harness with Check Lines, Horse Gears, Collars, Bridles, Halters, Wagon Saddle, Log Chain, Halter and Cow Chains, Horse Power Hay Fork with tackle, Shovels, Hoes, Cider Barrels and pure Vinegar by the gallon. Also, Household and Kitchen Furniture, consisting in part of Safe, Sink, 6 Bedsteads (one a Cottage), 2 sets of Chairs—1 Cane Bottom, Rocking Chair, 2 Bureaus, Tables, Stoves, one a Cooking Stove (Wagara), and a stove for a Parlor Stove, 2 Dinner and 1 Breakfast Tables, Clock, Desk, Stands, Churns, Milk Crocks, Iron Kettle, Wash Tubs, &c. The Furniture is nearly all new, and embraces all articles necessary for farming and housekeeping—too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence precisely at 9 o'clock, A. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

A. J. BENDER.

JACOB MICKLEY, Auctioneer. [Feb. 5.-ts

PUBLIC SALE
OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The subscriber will sell at Public Sale, *on Tuesday, the 10th day of March next*, at his residence in Straban township, one mile north-west of Greenmount P. O., the following Personal Property, viz:

ONE HORSE, 2 Cows, 1 Buggy, as good as new and Harness, 1 Horse Wagon, 1 Horse Harness, Sleigh and Bells, Harness, Collars, Bridles, Fly Nets, Riding Saddles, 1 Side Saddle, Riding Bridles, Fly Nets, Hoeing Rope, Grain and Clover Cradles, Grindstone, Wheelbarrow, Crow bar, Mattock, Mason and Wedge, half Bushel, Baskets, Forks and Rakes, Cross-cut Saw, Hand Saw, Planes, Augers, Chisels, Drawing Knives, Shot Gun, lot 1½ inch Plank, Dung Boards, Scantling and other Lumber, 1 Soap Boss, Household Furniture, such as Tables, Chairs, Bedsteads, Cupboards, Flour Chest, Copper Kettle, Iron Pots, Barrels and Boxes, good Buffalo Robe, Crocks, Jugs, Churn and Buckets, together with many articles not mentioned.

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JOHN McCLEA RY.

Also—At the same time and place, the under signed will sell at Public Sale, 1 GOOD FAMILY MARE, 2 Milch Cows, one of which will be fresh at the time of sale, 1 yearling Bull, 7 head of Shoats, 4 head of Sheep, 1 Brood Sow and seven Shotes, 2 four horse Wagons, 1 Spring Wagon calculated for 1 or 2 horses, Hay Carriage, Grain Drill, Self-delivering Hay Rake, 2 Plows, 2 Harrows, Double and Single Shovel Plows, Corn Coverer, Single, three-horse Tress and Spreaders, Winnowing Mill, Cutting Box, Wheelbarrow, Shovels and Snaths, Forks, Rakes, Log Chains, 1 Fifth Chain, Breast Chains and Butt Chains, 2 sets of Breechbands, 3 sets of Front Gears, Bridles and Halters, Fly Nets—a good as new, Riding and Wagon Saddles, Halters, Cow Chains, Maul and Wedges, Axes, and a great many other articles. Also, Household and Kitchen Furniture, 2 Bedsteads, 1 large Cupboard, 2 Tables, 1 Ten-plate Stove and Pipe, about 10 or 40 yards of Carpeting, Oil Cloth, and many other household articles.

☞ Attendance will be given and terms made known on day of sale by

JACOB MICKLEY, Auctioneer. ADAM C. MUSSELMA N.

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PUBLIC SALE
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The subscriber intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, *on Saturday the 29th day of March next*, at 12 *o'clock, M.*, at his residence, about ¼ mile from Beecher's Factory, in Butler township, on road leading to Arendtsville, the following Personal Property, to wit:

6 WORK HORSES, 1 yearling Colt, 1 Cow, 1 Heifer, 2 Sheep, 2 Shoats, broad tread two horse Wagon, nearly new, good Spring Wagon, 2 sets of Yankee Gears, 1 set Buggy Harness, Collars, Blind Bridles, Plow Line, Saddle and Bridle, good Scandersville Plow, double and single Shovel Plows, Corn Fork, Dung or Lime Hoe, Cutting Box, Grain Fan, Butt Traces, Log Chains, Spreaders, Bushel Basket, 1 new, Cooking Stove and Utensils, Corner Cupboard, Desk, &c. The Furniture is nearly all new, and embraces all articles necessary for farming and housekeeping—too numerous to mention.

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OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The subscriber will sell at Public Sale, *on Tuesday, the 10th day of March next*, at his residence in Straban township, one mile north-west of Greenmount P. O., the following Personal Property, viz:

ONE HORSE, 2 Cows, 1 Buggy, as good as new and Harness, 1 Horse Wagon, 1 Horse Harness, Sleigh and Bells, Harness, Collars, Bridles, Fly Nets, Riding Saddles, 1 Side Saddle, Riding Bridles, Fly Nets, Hoeing Ropes, Grain and Clover Cradles, Grindstone, Wheelbarrow, Crow bar, Mattock, Mason and Wedge, half Bushel, Baskets, Forks and Rakes, Cross-cut Saw, Hand Saw, Planes, Augers, Chisels, Drawing Knives, Shot Gun, lot 1½ inch Plank, Dung Boards, Scantling and other Lumber, 1 Soap Boss, Household Furniture, such as Tables, Chairs, Bedsteads, Cupboards, Flour Chest, Copper Kettle, Iron Pots, Barrels and Boxes, good Buffalo Robe, Crocks, Jugs, Churn and Buckets, together with many articles not mentioned.

Sale to commence at 9 o'clock, A. M., when attendance will be given and terms made known by

JOHN McCLEA RY.

Also—At the same time and place, the under signed will sell at Public Sale, 1 GOOD FAMILY MARE, 2 Milch Cows, one of which will be fresh at the time of sale, 1 yearling Bull, 7 head of Shoats, 4 head of Sheep, 1 Brood Sow and seven Shotes, 2 four horse Wagons, 1 Spring Wagon calculated for 1 or 2 horses, Hay Carriage, Grain Drill, Self-delivering Hay Rake, 2 Plows, 2 Harrows, Double and Single Shovel Plows, Corn Coverer, Single, three-horse Tress and Spreaders, Winnowing Mill, Cutting Box, Wheelbarrow, Shovels and Snaths, Forks, Rakes, Log Chains, 1 Fifth Chain, Breast Chains and Butt Chains, 2 sets of Breechbands, 3 sets of Front Gears, Bridles and Halters, Fly Nets—a good as new, Riding and Wagon Saddles, Halters, Cow Chains, Maul and Wedges, Axes, and a great many other articles. Also, Household and Kitchen Furniture, 2 Bedsteads, 1 large Cupboard, 2 Tables, 1 Ten-plate Stove and Pipe, about 10 or 40 yards of Carpeting, Oil Cloth, and many other household articles.

☞ Attendance will be given and terms made known on day of sale by

JACOB MICKLEY, Auctioneer. ADAM C. MUSSELMA N.

[Feb. 5.-ts

PUBLIC SALE
OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The subscriber intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, *on Saturday the 29th day of March next*, at 12 *o'clock, M.*, at his residence, about ¼ mile from Beecher's Factory, in Butler township, on road leading to Arendtsville, the following Personal Property, to wit:

6 WORK HORSES, 1 yearling Colt, 1 Cow, 1 Heifer, 2 Sheep, 2 Shoats, broad tread two horse Wagon, nearly new, good Spring Wagon, 2 sets of Yankee Gears, 1 set Buggy Harness, Collars, Blind Bridles, Plow Line, Saddle and Bridle, good Scandersville Plow, double and single Shovel Plows, Corn Fork, Dung or Lime Hoe, Cutting Box, Grain Fan, Butt Traces, Log Chains, Spreaders, Bushel Basket, 1 new, Cooking Stove and Utensils, Corner Cupboard, Desk, &c. The Furniture is nearly all new, and embraces all articles necessary for farming and housekeeping—too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence precisely at 9 o'clock, A. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

A. J. BENDER.

JACOB MICKLEY, Auctioneer. [Feb. 5.-ts

PUBLIC SALE
OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The subscriber intending to remove from the county, will expose to Public Sale, on *Saturday, the 21st day of February next, at 10 o'clock, A. M.*, at his residence in Butler township, near Bonaughtown Mill, the following valuable Personal Property, to wit:

THREE HORSES, will work in any place they are hitched, 5 Milch Cows, 4 young Cattle, 3 Shotes, a three-horse Wagon, Spring Wag

The Star and Sentinel.

Gettysburg, Wednesday, Feb. 12, 1868.

PREMIUMS FOR NEW SUBSCRIBERS.—Our friends will bear in mind that any one of our *present* subscribers sending in the names of *four* new subscribers, with the cash in advance ($2 per annum), will receive a credit of one year's subscription on their own account—in other words, for each new subscriber sent in, accompanied by the cash, a PREMIUM OF FIFTY CENTS is allowed as a credit on *present* subscriptions. Some of our subscribers have thus paid their own paper for two and three years in advance. The same opportunity is offered to *all*. Who will signalize the new year by doing likewise?

SALES.—The following sales of Personal Property, to take place this spring, will be found in our advertising column:

Feb. 13.—James Bigham, Freedom tp.
" 20.—M. L. & J. E. Graft, Straban tp.
" " —Jesse Cline, Trustee, Latimore tp.
" 21 & 22.—Daniel Baker's Exr's, Hamilton tp.
" 22.—William Walter, Hamiltonban tp.
" 24.—Adam*C. Musselman, Hamiltonban tp. near Fairfield.
" 25.—Wm. Howard, Straban tp.
" " —Dr. John Carpenter, Franklin tp.
" 26.—Jacob Minter, Franklin tp.
" " —Francis Cunningham, Freedom tp.
" 27.—Daniel Cashman, Straban tp.
" " —John Hoover, Butler tp.
" 28.—Jacob C. Herbst, Cumberland tp.
Mar. 2.—Adm's of Michael Carl dec'd, Berwick tp.
" 3.—Henry Dotterar, Huntington tp.
" " —Adm'r of Frederick Stockteger, Franklin tp.
" 4.—Chas. B. Polley, Cumberland tp.
" 5.—Samuel Shelly, Huntington tp.
" 5 & 6.—Wm. Wible, Straban tp.
" 6.—A. J. Bender, Menallen tp.
" " —John A. Slaugh, Butler tp.
" 7.—Henry Speck, " "
" " —Hezekiah Latshaw, Franklin tp.
" 10.—Isaac Baehaar, Union tp.
" " —J. McCleary and Rush M. Bigham, Freedom tp
" " —J. W. Fiddler, Straban tp.
" " —Cyrus S. Griest, Butler tp.
" 12.—J. W. Weigle, Highland tp.
" 17.—Jesse Cook, Latimore tp.
" 26.—Sarah Hidler, Menallen tp.
" 28.—Samuel Lawver, Butler tp. near Beecher's Factory.

ORPHANS COURT.—An adjourned Orphans Court will be held on the 25th of March, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

☞ JACOB MORISON, of Hamilton township, a few days ago, sold to a Lancaster county farmer, a colt three months old, for $85 cash.

FRANKLIN ZOUAVES.—This Company will meet, in full dress, on the 22d of February, in Arendtsville, at 9 A. M., for drill and parade. Every member is expected to be present.

NOMINATED.—The President has nominated W. HOWARD LONGWELL, (formerly of this place,) as Post Master at Pit Hole, Pennsylvania, but the Senate has not yet acted upon the nomination.

COLD WEATHER.—The weather during the last week has been intensely cold, the mercury occasionally dropping below zero. Occasional falls of snow has made the sleighing very fine, and the merry tinkling of bells shows that it is being enjoyed.

WILD CATS SHOT.—Mr. EPHRAIM SANDERS, of Hamiltonban township, in September last, shot a Wild Cat, which measured four feet three inches, and on the 27th ult., shot another, which measured four feet two inches.

DONATION.—We learn that on the 1st inst., some of the members of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, at New Oxford, presented their pastor, Rev. Dr. HAUER, $40 in greenbacks, as an evidence of their appreciation of his services.

☞ W. W. KURTZ, Esq., formerly of this place, has been chosen President of the North American Life and Accident Insurance Company, Philadelphia. Mr. K. is a gentleman of rare business capacity, and while his selection for this responsible position is a high compliment to his integrity and executive ability, it will bring confidence to the company itself.

IRON ORE.—The Iron Ore Bank opened on the Comfort farm in Franklin town ship yields abundantly. We learn that from the 19th of October to the 5th of February 643 tons gross of Ore from this bank were weighed at the Scales of WEAVER & WIBLE, in this place, and shipped by railroad. The Bank is worked by the "Wrightsville Iron Ore Company," and the ore is said to be of very superior quality.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mr. DANIEL RAFFENSPERGER died very suddenly, at his residence, in East Berlin, Adams county, on the 21st inst. Mr. R. got up as usual in the morning, went to the barn to feed his stock, and returned to his house, and while in the act of sitting down on a chair, he was observed by some of the family to fall to the floor, expiring before medical aid could be procured. The deceased was 67 years 11 months and 14 days old, and leaves a large family to mourn his sudden death.

GETTYSBURG ZOUAVES.—We are requested to say that the Zouaves will meet in full dress, for drill and parade, on the 22d inst., (Washington's Birth-day,) each member being provided with one ball cartridge, and their boxes full of blank cartridges.—Those who have not procured there Sashes, will be expected to do by next parade.—There will be Drills at the armory every Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock.

We are also requested to state that members can get Powder at cost from Lieut. CRESS.

☞ On the 6th in the Senate, Mr. MCCONAUGHY presented a petition from LEVI MINTER, SAMUEL A. LAWVER, and other citizens of Adams county, praying for the repeal of all laws imposing per capita or head taxes for bounty purposes.

On same day Mr. MCCONAUGHY read in place an act granting a pension to JOHN L. BURNS, a soldier of the war of 1812, from Adams county. Also, an act granting pensions to JOSEPH HARMAN and JACOB BROWN, soldiers of the war of 1812, from Adams county, both of which were referred to the committee of Pensions.

EDUCATIONAL.—Last week a meeting of the Presidents and friends of the principal colleges of the State was held at Harrisburg, at request of the State Superintendent, to confer upon the propriety of consolidating the educational interests of the State, under a general State system, by the creation of an Educational Department, charged with the supervision of Colleges and Common Schools. A committee, of which Rev. Dr. HAY, of this place, was a member, reported a Bill to be submitted to the Legislature having this end in view. Among other things, it proposes an annual appropriation of $3,000 to each of the Colleges complying with the provisions of the act, in return for which each college is to issue a scholarship for every $50 thus appropriated. These scholarships are to be divided among the different public schools of the State, and, as the several county superintendents, with such other persons to constitute a board as a law to be passed may designate, shall decide on examination, the pupils will be transferred from the public schools for a regular collegiate course of education in the several colleges receiving this appropriation,

☞ We notice by a recent editorial in the N. York *Herald*, that the lottery gamblers of that city, who have charge of the "Gettysburg Asylum" project, have bought up that journal to defend their lottery scheme. The article is a labored attack on Gen. VAN WYCK for his exposition of the swindle, and takes the ground that the charter by the Pa. Legislature is in the nature of a contract, and not repealable. In other words, these gentlemen say, that having swindled the Legislature of Pennsylvania, it is their purpose to persist, under cover of the charter they hold in swindling the people. The statement of Senator MCCONAUGHY, published last week, developes the fraudulent means by which these impudent rascals secured their charter, and the Legislature will consult its dignity by promptly repealing the act.

CATTLE DISEASE.—The Hanover *Spectator* says that a strange and fatal disease has made its appearance among the cattle in the country, and that numerous farmers have lost some of their valuable cows.—One farmer named SHUE, residing in West Manheim township, has lost no less than six valuable cows within the past two weeks; another, named BOLLINGER, residing in Oxford township, 3; and a gentleman in Jackson township, at the last accounts had lost 3, with the remainder of the herd, some 20 in number, suffering with the disease, a for which there appears to be no remedy. Considerable alarm prevails lest it may prove to be the much dreaded Rinderpest.

IMPROVED STOCK.—On our 4th page will be found another of D. P. F's. interesting Agricultural Letters. It discusses the question of the most feasible method of introducing Improved Stock into the County, started a few weeks ago by the suggestion of "A Farmer," that the directors of the Poor take the matter in hand. D. P. F. is one of our most intelligent practical Farmers whose articles are always readable and suggestive. He prefers that the "Agricultural Society" move in the matter, or that a joint stock company of Farmers be organized if the Society does not feel itself able to purchase the necessary stock. It is an important subject, and we should be glad to have the views of our Agricultural friends on it.

MORNING GLORY STOVE.—Great improvements in Stoves have been made within the last few years by scientific men, who have directed their attention to the work of securing the greatest amount of heat from a given quantity of fuel, and it is now admitted on all hands that the base-burning stoves are beyond all question the most economical and comfortable. Of the base-burning stoves, it is also now admitted by all who have tested them, that the MORNING GLORY is equally beyond question the MOST ECONOMICAL, and most desirable—consuming the least coal, easily managed, free from dust, and producing a uniform heat which is equally diffused throughout the room. Having a mill-grate, they never clog up with cinders, and being once started can be burnt the entire winter without cleaning and without letting the fire go out. They are likewise ornamental, and equally adapted for parlor, chamber, office, hotel and hall. Over FIFTY of these stoves have been sold in Gettysburg and vicinity this winter. They can be seen in daily use at the EAGLE HOTEL, and the WASHINGTON HOUSE, and also at the "STAR AND SENTINEL" office.

☞ Col. C. H. BUEHLER, at the corner of Railroad and Carlisle streets, is the sole Agent for the MORNING GLORY, for Adams county. Call and examine them.

☞ Also, on hand a large variety of COOKING and PARLOR STOVES, COAL, LUMBER, Washing Machines, Tin Ware &c. Call and examine.

SPEER'S PORT GRAPE WINE.—This noted and excellent wine—samples of which can be tasted at all our druggists—we believe to be superior in every respect, and in all desirable qualities, medicinal not excepted, to pure and genuine imported Port, worth ten dollars a gallon. 1t

Review of the Markets.

Baltimore Grain and Produce Market.
Baltimore, Tuesday Morning.

SUPER FLOUR,	9 25	@	10 00
EXTRA FLOUR,	10 50	@	11 00
WHITE WHEAT,	2 30	@	2 80
RED WHEAT,	2 50	@	2 60
CORN,	1 15	@	1 20
RYE,	1 60	@	1 65
OATS,	76	@	77
BUCKWHEAT,	4 75	@	5 00
TIMOTHY-SEED,	3 00	@	3 25
CLOVER-SEED,	8 50	@	8 56
FLAX-SEED,	2 50	@	2 80
BACON, HAMS,	17	@	18
" SIDES,	12½	@	13
" SHOULDERS,	11½	@	11½
HAY,	18 00	@	25 00
WHISKEY,			@
GOLD, Phila.			1 43½

Gettysburg Grain and Provision Market
Gettysburg, Wednesday Morning

SUPER FLOUR,			8 50
EXTRA FLOUR,			9 50
WHITE WHEAT,	2 10	@	2 20
RED WHEAT,	2 10	@	2 25
CORN,			95
RYE,			1 25
OATS,			60
BUCKWHEAT,			1 00
TIMOTHY SEED,			2 50
CLOVER SEED,			7 25
POTATOES,	1 20	@	1 25
BUTTER,			35
LARD,	11	@	12
EGGS,			25
BACON, HAMS,	14	@	15
" SIDES,			10
" SHOULDERS,			10
SOAP,	7	@	8
TALLOW,			10

MARRIED.

BREAM—OGDEN.—On the 4th inst., at the bride's home, by Rev. J. M. Titzell, Mr. Jacob P. Bream, to Miss Harriet Ogden, both of Adams county.

CRONISTER—LIPP.—On the 23d ult., by Rev. W. F. P. Davis, Mr. Emanuel Cronister to Miss Jennie Lipe, both of Hampton, this county.

FOHL—SMITH.—On the 4th inst., at the house of the bride's parents, by Rev. M. Snyder, Mr. Lewis Fohl, to Miss Priscilla M. Smith, both of this county.

MOORE—MCCREARY.—In Fairfield on the 30th ult., by Rev. D. Johnston, Mr. J. Howard Moore of Liberty township, to Miss Maggie M. McCreary of Fairfield.

SANDERS—RIGHAM.—On the 6th ult., by Rev. Mr. Boll, Mr. Zachariah Sanders, of Liberty township, to Miss Mary Jane Bigham, of Hamiltonban township.

WEAVER—MCCLELLAN.—On the 10 inst., by the Rev. E Breidenbaugh, Mr. James E. Weaver to Miss Sallie McClellan, all of this place.

DIED.

☞ Obituary notices 5 cents a line for all over 4 lines—cash to accompany notices.

COVER.—On the 3d inst., at Pine Grove, Cumberland county, Jeremiah Cover, aged 46 years and 19 days.

CRESS.—On the 4th ult., Mary Cress, consort of Jacob Cress, deceased, aged 89 years 10 months and 20 days.

CRONE.—On the 19th ult., John Henry, son of Ruben and Susanna Crone, aged 8 months and 23 days.

LITTLE.—On the 25th of December, at the residence of his son-in-law, Christian Stover, in Canton Ohio, Andrew Little, formerly of Adams county, in his 69th year.

SHOWALTER.—On the 1st inst. Wm. A. son of David and Margaret Showalter, of Indianola, Iowa, formerly of this county, aged 1 month and 18 days.

SPANGLER.—On the 21st ult., at Abbottstown, Christiana, consort of the late John Spangler, aged 75 years 6 months and 25 days.

WITHEROW.—In Fairfield Feb. 7th inst., Miss Harriet N. Witherow in the 42d year of her age.

ZACHARIAS.—On the 28th ult., near Emmitsburg, Md., Mr. John Zacharias, in the 29th year of his age.

Special Notices.

Among the many restoratives which nature has supplied to relieve the afflictions of humanity, there is no more favorite one for a certain class of diseases than the Vegetable Balsam of Wild Cherry HONEY but however valuable it is, its power to heal, to soothe, to relieve and to cure, is enhanced tenfold by scientific and judicious combination with other ingredients, in themselves of equal worth. This happy mingling exists to a remarkable degree in

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STRONG TESTIMONY.

From BENJAMIN WYMAN, Esq., Depot Master of South Royalston, Mass.

"In the spring of 1858 I was severely afflicted with a hard, dry cough, with its usual accompaniments of night sweats, completely prostrating my nervous system, and producing such a debilitated state of health that, after trying medical aid to no purpose, I had given up all hopes of ever recovering, as had also my friends. At this stage of matters I was prevailed upon to rough the influence of a neighbor to try Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, and, before using two bottles, the effect was almost magical. My cough entirely left me, the night sweats deserted me, hope once more elated my depressed spirits, and soon I had attained my wonted strength and vigor. That has this Balsam, as has often been remarked by persons conversant with the above facts, literally snatched me from the yawning grave. You are at liberty to use this for the benefit of the afflicted."

Prepared by SETH W. FOWLE & SON, 18 Tremont st., Boston, and for sale by Druggists generally.

GRACE'S CELEBRATED SALVE
cures in a very short time
CUTS, BURNS, SCALDS, WOUNDS, BRUISES, SPRAINS, ERYSIPELAS, SALT RHEUM, RING-WORM, CHAPPED HANDS, BOILS, FROZEN LIMBS, CHILBLAINS, &c.

It is prompt in action, removes pain at once, and reduces the most angry looking swellings and inflammations, as if by magic.—thus affording relief and a complete cure.

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Sold by all Druggists, Grocers, and at all country stores. [Feb. 5.—1m

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FOR ONLY ONE DOLLAR,

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April 4, 1867.—1yeow

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DEAFNESS, BLINDNESS AND CATARRH, treated with the utmost success, by Dr. J. ISAACS, Oculist and Aurist, (formerly of Leyden, Holland.) No. 613 Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa. Testimonials from the most reliable sources in the City and Country can be seen at his office. The medical faculty are invited to accompany their patients, as he has no secrets in his practice. Artificial Eyes inserted without pain. No charge made for examination. [Nov. 20, 1867.—1y

TAKE NO MORE UNPLEASANT AND UNSAFE REMEDIES for unpleasant and dangerous diseases. Use Helmbold's Extract Buchu and Improved Rose Wash.
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The REV. EDWARD A. WILSON will send (free of charge) to all who desire it, the prescription with the directions for making and using the simple remedy by which he was cured of a bad case of Asthma and that fearful disease Consumption. His only object is to benefit the afflicted and he hopes every sufferer will try this prescription, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.—Please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
No. 165 South Second st., Williamsburg, New York.
June 5, 1867.—1y

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ERASIVE SOAP. Is manufactured from PURE MATERIALS, and may be considered the STANDARD OF EXCELLENCE. For sale by all Grocers. [May 16, 1867.—1y

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ADDRESS TO THE NERVOUS and debilitated whose sufferings have been protracted from hidden causes, and whose cases require prompt treatment to restore them to manly health and vigor. Many are ashamed to consult a physician, when in perfect health, make the man. Did you ever think that those bold, defiant, energetic, persevering, successful men are always those whose sexual and reproductive organs are in perfect health? You never hear such men complain of being melancholy, of nervousness, of palpitation of the heart. They are never afraid they cannot succeed in business; they don't become sad and discouraged; they always polite and pleasant in the company of ladies, and look you and them right in the face—none of your downcast looks or any other meanness about them. I do not mean those who keep their organs inflamed by running to excess. These will not only ruin their constitutions, but also those they do bust with or for.

How many men from badly-cured diseases, from the effects of self-abuse and excesses, have brought about that state of weakness in those organs that has reduced the general system so much as to induce almost every other disease—idiocy, lunacy, paralysis, spinal affections, suicide, and almost every other form of disease which humanity is heir to, and the real cause of the trouble scarcely ever suspected, and have doctored for all but the right one.

Disease of these organs require the use of a diuretic.—HELMBOLD'S FLUID EXTRACT BUCHU is the great Diuretic, and is a certain cure for diseases of the Bladder, Kidneys, Gravel, Dropsy, Organic Weakness, Female Complaints, General Debility, and all disease of the Urinary Organs, whether existing in Male or Female, from whatever cause originating and no matter of how long standing.

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April 30, 1867.—1y

NOTICE.—Letters Testamentary on the estate of ABRAHAM JACOBS, late of Liberty township, Adams county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same township, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
JOHN COULSON, Exr.
Feb. 12.—6t

NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of DAN'L RAFFENSPERGER, late of Hamilton township, Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned residing in Paradise township, York county, he hereby gives notice to those indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
SOLOMON GISE, Adm'r.
Feb. 12.—6t*

TO COLLECTORS.

The COLLECTORS of
State and County Taxes,

Are requested to collect all outstanding duties immediately, and make settlement at their Residence ON OR BEFORE THE 20TH OF MARCH NEXT *without fail.*

By order of the County Commissioners,
J. M. WALTER, Clerk.
Feb. 12, 1868.—3t

New Advertisements.

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MERCHANT TAILORS,
Chambersburg Street, Gettysburg, Pa.,
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Goods made up and warranted
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All kinds of Confections, Candies, Oranges, Lemons, Nuts, &c., &c.,
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The Daily Papers of Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, and choice Magazines,
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Plain, Comic and Fancy, a large assortment just opened.

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JOHN RUPP.
Feb. 12.—6m

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New Advertisements.

GREAT SALE OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The undersigned, having rented his farm and intending to move to New Salem, will sell all his Stock and Farming utensils, on *Saturday the 7th of March, 1868, at 10 o'clock, A.M.*, at his residence in Highland township, Adams county, two miles south of New Salem, and five miles west of Gettysburg, including 6 head of first-rate DRAUGHT HORSES, four of them bays, one sorrel, and one black, averaging about 1250 lbs., and all in fine condition, fit for any market; one of the bays rising 7 years, the other five rising 6 years; four of them leaders, two of them saddle horses, and all of them geldings. Also, a fine Bay Mare Colt, rising three years, black legs, mane and tail. Also 1 Horse, rising 4 years old, a first-rate driving horse. The above are the first lot of horses as will be sold at any one sale in the county shipping. Also, Five head of Milch Cows, 2 of which will be fresh on day of sale, and 2 of which had calves at the holidays, 1 Heifer with calf, 6 young Cattle, 6 Shotes six months old, a broad-tread Wagon 3½ inches in tread, 1 inch tire, 5 inch spindle, ordinary height, nearly as good as new, and a first-rank running Wagon calculated for 4 or 5 horses, also, a 2 inch pine plank Bed, 20 inches high, side-boards 3 inches high, 14 feet long, 2 rows of steps low on both sides, being a number one Bed, built about three months ago. Also a good narrow-tread Wagon, for 2 or 3 horses, with plank bed, a Box Wagon, 2 double shovel Ploughs as good as new, 1 Winnowing Mill, 1 three-horse and two-horse Iron Plows, with steel mold-board, both nearly new, 2 first-rate Harrows as good as new, 2 Corn Plows with three shovels good as new, Corn Coverer with roller nearly new; 1 three-horse, 3 two-horse and 6 single Trees; 3 four horse Plow Chains one of them Lesper's make, 1 Broad Harrow as good as new. 1 Hay Carriage, 1 Carrying Chain, 1 Fifth Chain and Spreaders of Lesper's make, as good as new, Wire-tooth Horse Rake good as new, 1 Screw Hay Pitcher with rope 75 feet long and pullies, 2 Pitch Forks, 3 Dung Forks, 1 Dung Hook, 1 Clevice, 2 Log Chains, a lot of Cow Chains, 3 sets of Breechbands 2 sets of Side Leathers, 4 sets of Front Gears nearly new, 2 sets of Plow Gears, 6 Collars nearly new, 7 Blind Bridles —four of them nearly as good as new, 2 Riding Bridles, 1 Line, 2 four-horse Lines, 8 pairs of Hames, 1 good Stallion Bridle, 2 common Riding Bridles, 6 Choke-strops 2½ inches, 4 Flynets made last seeding, all of good material, 5 first-rate Honsings, Wagon Saddle, Wagon Whip, 7 Leather Head Halters nearly new, 7 Web Halters just new, 7 Halter Chains of Lesper's make, 2 sets of Butt Chains one of them Lesper's make, 2 pairs of Breast Chains, 6 pairs of long Traces three of them Lesper's make—just new, with a large variety of other articles.

I will sell none of the above articles before day of sale, when all will be sold without reserve. I pledge myself for a fair sale and no under-bidding. If any under-bidding on any article is ascertained and proven, I will forfeit the article to the person purchasing it. A credit of 6 months will be given on all purchases over $5, all purchases under $5 to be paid cash. A discount will be allowed for cash on purchases over $5, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum.

I have also on hand 4 fat Steers and a fat Bull which will average over 900 lbs., also 6 Steers, which I am feeding moderately, which I will sell at Private Sale.

HEZEKIAH LATSHAW.
JACOB MICKLEY, Auctioneer. [Feb. 12.—ts

PUBLIC SALE
OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The undersigned will offer at Public Sale, *on Monday the 2nd day of March next*, at the residence of Michael Carl, deceased, in Berwick township, Adams county, Pa., two miles from Hanover, on the Carlisle turnpike, near the Toll Gate, the following Personal Property, to wit:

2 FINE LARGE HEAVY DRAUGHT MARES, 3 fine large Mules, 8 Milch Cows, part Durham, 3 fine Heifers, (all Durham,) 1 Full Durham Bull, 2 years old, a very fine thorough bred foll blooded Chester white Shoats, raised from Lieut. James Hersh's stock, 3 very fine Berkshire Shotes and 1 fat Hog, 15 doz. Pea Fowls, 1 Broad and one narrow-tread Wagon with Bed, 1 one-horse Wagon, Hay Carriages, Stone Bed, Wood Ladders, Threshing Machine and Horse Power, 1 Winnowing Mill, Cutting Box, Barn Truck, Corn Sheller, 1 Reaper, (Moul's make,) Grain Drill (Shireman's make,) 1 Wire Spring Rake, Rockaway Bogey, 1 Sleigh, 2 Hay elevators with Pulleys and 200 feet of Rope, Ploughs, Harrows, Fork and Shovel Ploughs, 2 Grindstones complete, Ground Roller, Treble, double and single Trees, 4 Spreaders, Horse Manure Hook, Hay, Grain, Manure and Shaking Forks, Hand Rakes, Corn Hoes, Quarrier's tools, Wood Saws, Cross-cut Saw, Grain Cradle, Grass Scythe, Sickles, 4 sets Hind Gears, 6 sets Front Gears with Collars and Bridles, 1 Side and 2 Wagon Saddles, Riding Bridles, Sleigh and Bells, Forks, Shovels and Rakes, Cow and Breast Chains, Grain Cradle and Scythes, Winnowing Mill, (Fayetteville make,) Farmer at Shafts, 2 sets Carriage Harness, one 2 Horse Lines, 4 Ilusina, Log, Fifth, Halter, Cow, Breast, Butt and Plough Chains, lot of old Iron, large lot Grain Bags, Smoked Meat, Lard with Gas, Potatoes by the Bushel in. Also—Household and Kitchen Furniture, such as Beds, Bedsteads, 1 set Drawers, Corner Cupboard, 1 large Desk, 1 Eight-day Clock, Sofa, Lounges, Tables, Stands, Chairs Sinks, Tubs, Barrels, Churn, Meat Vessels, Patent Washing Machine, 1 Parlor Stove, 2 Ten-plate Stoves, 1 Cook Stove with Pipe, Tin, Iron and Copper Kettles, Glass and China Ware, 75 yards of Carpeting, Straw Matting, Oil Cloth and Rags, Oil Lamps, and a great many other articles too tedious to mention. Also—a House and Lot of Ground near the place, known as the old Gate House.

Sale to commence at 9 o'clock, A. M. precisely, on said day. Strict attendance will be given and terms made known by
JOHN CARPENTER.
JACOB MICKLEY, Auctioneer. [Feb. 12.—ts

PUBLIC SALE
OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The undersigned intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, on *Thursday, March 26, 1868, at 9 o'clock, A. M.*, at her residence in Menallen township, 5 miles north-west of Bendersville, and one half mile north of the road leading from Bendersville to the old Shippensburg road the following Personal Property, to wit:

1 ONE FOUR-YEAR OLD COLT, well broken to work, 5 Milch Cows, 4 of which will be fresh about the time of sale, 7 head of Shotes, 7 head of Sheep, two horse Wagon, double and single Trees, Plow, Corn Fork, Shovel Plow, Harrow, 1 set Hay Carriage Ladders, Cow Chains, Forks, Rakes, Grain Shovels, Halters and Chains, Cow Chains, Log Chains, H. T. CHAINS, 1 Cross Cut Saw, Cutting Box, &c.—Household and Kitchen Furniture, consisting of Bureau, Cupboards, Tables, Bedsteads, and Bedding Chairs, Carpeting, Clock, Coffee Mills, Stove and Pipe, 3 Ten-plate Stoves and Pipe, Lard, Bacon by the pound, Potatoes, and a great many other articles too numerous to mention, also Hay by the ton, a large lot of Yellow Locust Posts, several hundred good Chestnut Rails, 3000 Dry Staves, 2000 Oak Lap Shingles. Also—Household and Kitchen Furniture, consisting in part of Bedsteads, Chairs one of them Lesper's make, 2 pairs of Breast Chains, 6 pairs of long Traces three of them Lesper's make—just new, with a large variety of other articles.

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Attendance will be given and terms made known on day of sale by
A. F. STOCKSLEGER,
I. J. STOCKSLEGER.
JACOB MICKLEY, Auctioneer. Adm'rs.
Feb. 12.—ts

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The subscribers, Administrators of the Estate of Frederick Stocksleger, deceased, late of Franklin township, Adams county, Pa., will expose to Public Sale, *on Thursday the 3rd day of March next, at 9 o'clock, A. M.*, at his residence near the road leading from Cashtown to Fairfield 2 miles south of the former place, the following valuable Personal Property, to wit:

6 HORSES, two 5 years old, 1 aged Milch Cow, 1 head of fat Cattle, 1 young Bull, 1 Heifer, 1 Reaper, 2 broad-tread Wagons, 1 a three-horse Wagon, 1 one-horse Wagon, Cart, Carriage, Spring-tooth Rake, Grain Drill, Winnowing Mill, Threshing Machine, Corn Sheller, Wheelbarrow, (new,) Plows, Harrows, Shovel Plows, double and single Trees, Spreaders Log Chains, Cow Chains, Mattock, Shovels, 1 set Carriage Harness, 2 sets Breechbands, 2 set Front Gears, Bridles, Collars, Halters, Wagon saddle, Grain Shovel, Forks, Grain Bags, Axe, Grind Stone, Gun and Gun, and other articles. Also—Corn by the bushel, the undivided share of 65 Acres of Grain in the ground, Hay by the ton, a large lot of Yellow Locust Posts, several hundred good Chestnut Rails, 3000 Dry Staves, 2000 Oak Lap Shingles. Also—Household and Kitchen Furniture, consisting in part of Bedsteads, Chairs one of them Lesper's make, 2 pairs of Breast Chains, 6 pairs of long Traces three of them Lesper's make—just new, with a large variety of other articles.

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PUBLIC SALE
OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The subscriber intending to relinquish farming, will sell at Public Sale, on *Friday the 6th day of March next*, at 10 *o'clock, A. M.*, at his residence in Butler township, Adams county, about half mile south of Middletown, the following valuable Personal Property, to wit:

2 HORSES, two of them are Mares, (Black,) the other 4 the other a Sorrel Mare with foal by, all suitable for riding, driving or draft, 4 good Milch Cows, three of them will be fresh about the time of sale, 1 Bull, 1 Heifer, 1 good McCormick Reaper, Spring Wagon, Bag Wagon, Hand Wagon, new Harrow, Plow, Double Roller, two-horse Carriage, Riding-top Buggy, Bed-cord Frame and Au

The Farmer and Housekeeper.

[For the "STAR AND SENTINEL."]

IMPROVED STOCK.

A recent number of the "STAR AND SENTINEL" contains a communication over the signature of "A Farmer," suggesting the propriety of stocking the poor-house farm with improved stock for the benefit of the county. The writer thinks an unusual interest is felt at present upon this subject, which, if it be the case, must be hailed with pleasure by every thinking farmer of the county. The expediency of placing the matter in the hands of the Directors of the Poor may, however, well be questioned: subject as these directors are, to the fickle changes of party politics—elected as they often are, without any reference to their ability, but simply to their availability—ignorant, as many of them are, not only of all improved stock, but of the principles which govern all stock breeding, it becomes a matter of serious doubt, whether they are the men to undertake this matter with a reasonable prospect of success.

There are, however, other plans adopted in different sections of the country for the improvement of stock, which have met with success and the adoption of which deserves consideration here. One, most generally adopted, is for the agricultural societies to take the matter in hand. The agricultural society of a county could very easily undertake the purchase of "thorough bred" horses and cattle, and hire out their services to the farmers, so as not only to be a great benefit to the county, but also pecuniarily profitable to itself. The neighboring county of Cumberland adopted this plan with success, in so far as improving their horse stock is concerned; as to the profit I have never heard any statement. A competent person, however, informed me that the colts bred from a stallion introduced there by the society from Kentucky, were "highly prized," and the most profitable animal I ever raised was a colt sired by this horse; notwithstanding the fact that I paid twenty dollars for his services. It can easily be seen that if the society purchase a horse and hire him out at twenty dollars a mare, and that horse get from thirty to forty colts in a season, it will yield quite a remunerative income. The Agricultural Society of Massachusetts has for some time been engaged in the importation of good stock for the benefit of their State. It has imported heavy draft stallions of the "Norman" and "Clydesdale" order, and Alderney cattle, with much benefit to the farmers of the State.

If, however, the Agricultural Society, for lack of funds or any other reason, is unable to undertake this enterprise, then a joint stock company might be formed by the farmers for this purpose. By making the value of the shares of stock so low as to be in the reach of almost every one, a sufficient fund could easily be raised for the purchase of at least one first class horse, whose services might then be confined to the share owners or not, as might seem desirable on trial. After the matter had once been tested, the operations of the company might be extended either to the purchase of other horses or cattle as might seem prudent. In any event if the project is to succeed, it must be placed under the management of the men who are to be benefited by it, and are therefore interested in its success.

Another question presents itself in connection with this matter, which requires thought. That is, How and where begin the improvement? Obviously with the most valuable stock first, which is the horses. But what horses are to be looked to for the best results? On this point, doubtless, opinions will differ. All however will agree that the horses of this county are susceptible of great improvement, and, after all that may be said about the fancy horses of the day, there is no animal in this line it pays the farmer so well to raise as good-sized, active family horses. Every buyer that comes to you to buy a horse wants one that can "work anywhere," in the carriage or the cart, and what everybody wants, everybody should seek to supply. Now there is no horse which so uniformly stamps his qualities on his offspring as the "Thoroughbred" horse of England, tracing his origin back, as he does, for centuries, through the "Darby" and "Godolphin" Arabian to his ancestors of the Desert, he has become so emphatically thoroughbred, as to stand far above all other animals as a distinct breed. Their want of sufficient size is often an objection. This has been overcome to a great extent by the breeders of Kentucky. The climate and pasture of that State is so well adapted to the growth of all animals, that the "Blooded" horse has here attained a size and muscular development superior to what he possessed in his native land. A horse of this kind, brought here from Kentucky or elsewhere, would be the very best animal to cross with our coarse, ill-bred mares. The offspring might then naturally be expected to possess the size desirable, and also much of the sprightliness, hardihood and docility of the sire.

The object, furthermore, to be desired, would be to raise a class of mares, which would lay the foundation for further improvement. The Society of Massachusetts, as well as the stock companies of Ohio, are now introducing the heavy Clydesdale stallions of England and the heavy French breeds. These horses weigh from 1,400 to 1,700, and when crossed with sprightly mares of good blood and size produce a horse weighing from 1,100 to 1,400 lbs.—just the kind of horse everybody wants, possessing the strength, speed and endurance of the "Percheson" horses of France, so much praised by all travellers. If mares of the kind specified could be raised here, and when raised, would then be "stinted" to the stallions named, a kind of horses could be raised, which, in ten years, would double the value of this stock in the county. In view of these facts, it seems unwise to delay the beginning of it a day longer than necessary. Let there be a definite plan settled upon in the start, and let it be placed in the hands of prudent, thinking men, instead of the "fancy" racing men of the age, who are more successful in breaking down than in building up the horses of the day. I hope other "Farmers" will give their views on this subject. D. P. F.

HOW TO BUILD A CORN-CRIB.—It is asked how to build a rat-proof corn-crib. I have one that has stood for over twenty years, and has never had a rat, and but one mouse in it to my knowledge. Posts ten or eleven feet long and eight inches square; mortice two feet from one end; for side and end sills, two inch mortice with tusk. Taper post from sill to the end by hewing off inside until the end is reduced to four inches diameter, make smooth with draw-knife, and nail on tin smooth, half way to end, below the sill. Let sills be eight inches square; also, end tie them and the rafter plates strong with moderate inner ties. Brace well and lath up and down with three-quarter inch lath; dovetail or countersink joists crosswise; lay the floor and board up the ends with ungrooved boards; let each beat be twelve feet long, six feet wide at the sill, and seven and a half feet at plate, with one and a half feet floor, and if full to peak, it will hold two hundred and fifty bushels.

I never had an ear to hurt on account of the great width. If preferred, lay the floor with lath or narrow boards, with room for ventilation. Each post should stand on stone, about three inches from the ground, and each stone have a foundation two feet square, and below the frost. —*Correspondent American Institute Farmer's Club.*

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FAHNESTOCK BROS.

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Will sell GOODS at prices DEFYING COMPETITION. Give us a call and examine our stock.

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and PLAIN and FANCY GOOODS of all kinds, which he isselling CHEAPER THAN EVER. Call at

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Sept. 25, 1867.—tf

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THEN GO TO THE NEW STORE OF

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DO YOU WANT cheap and good Cloths, Cassimeres, Sattinets, Jeans, Corsets, Yest-ings, Gloves, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Notions, or anything else to the gentlemen's wear? Then

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DO YOU WANT cheap and good Silks, Alpacas, Poplins, Delaines, Ginghams, Calicoes, Gloves, Hosiery, Hoop Skirts, Corsets, or anything else desired for ladies' wear?

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Gettysburg, Pa